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AGATHA'S LOVER

He Promised a Silk Gown, and Called Without It.

SO SHE DISMISSED HIM.

When He Returned with Three Gowns Sha Had Already Replaced Him.

HE IS SOBBSKI, THE POET.

Public Opinion in the Shops of Chrystie Street Censures Him as a Man Who Keeps Not His Word.

By Henri Fene du Bois.

If you ask in the shops of Chrystie stret why Agatha Guliderstein broke her eneagement to be married to Joseph Sobieski the people reply, surugging their shoulders, "He was a jollier, he was a ltar, he

He is a poet; it is the fate of such to I Sobleski was to be found oftener than

With her enormous brown eyes, her lit-

the art to reduce to a unique tune.

being engaged to only one man at a time, out, without scruples, she talked to him of Mexanders, Fredericks and Ernests, whom she gaild were monsters, but nevertheless gentle. From morning until night she drew per needle with a regularity that exaspe-When his kisses interrupted her, she

omplained, with bitterness, that he had which was 30 cents. Imagine what he hought of her regrets at the sacrifice of two cents for an expression of lovewho had the preteusion soon to enru colo mough gold to place Agatha in a palace. What she said annoyed him, but an paraming over the paper enraged her. She asked him once what he was writing, and SHIRT WAISTS, were \$1.08.

She exclaimed, "Oh, well, then, sing them." Sobieski said imprudently, "They are not verses to be sung." She looked at him with cold indignation, as if he had preended that figers swam and crocodiles

dmit that she was right.

"Well, what are you doing, of what use sit?" she asked. He replied, "Oh, to buy

seen difficult. She could not believe in thing so extravagant, for a silk was, with a long looking glass and the flowers under a globe, one of her west decrease. great dreams, silk dress," she said with irony.

nen: "e repiled gally, "In a fortnight," le did not known with what spirit of timulty this Chrystic street girl, full of er and serious, would count minutes



New York Warerooms, 25 East

14th St. found; a few of the numerous bargains: and; a few of the numerous bargains.

Steck \$115, \$8 monthly.
Chickering Upright 135; 7 monthly.

Stellway 85; 6 monthly.

Knube 125; 7 monthly.

Ten Uprights, each 87; 5 monthly.

Thirty-five full-size Squares, \$65

Pianos for beginners, \$25; \$3 monthly. THE FAMOUS

LECKERLING PIANOS

ON SMALL PAYMENTS.

Large renting stock; one hundred Sterling Uprights, \$3.50 per month. Special repair department; the most skilled workmen; low sates for the Summer. Let us

Wissner Hall,

and hours. A forthight after, having no money, he had not caten and it was fasting and feeble that he called on his Infania. He had glanced timidiy at the comic papers, and as none of his work was in them he was stupefied at once by bimillation and pains in his stomach.

He was thinking of Agatha's beautiful the Park in a hansom."

en he replied sadly that he hadn't it, became frightfully nale and he read clous harted in her pupils. You haven't it," she said, opening the get it."

W. Gillmore, of Creston, Iowa, will be performed at the home of Cantaly. The wedding of - Lieutenant Albert formed at the home of Captain A. C. Kelton, U. S. M. C., brother-in-law of the bridegroom, at Boston Mass, at noon on Tuesday, June 22. Rev. Dr. Burrows, of Boston, will officiate. A wedding breakfast will be served at Captain Kelton's

14th Street.

Reports show that improved business conditions are everywhere expected with an immediate stiffening of the market and a great ad ose fingers are black from needle pricks. vance over present prices. Careful buyers should the Muse accorded to him melted into in all departments.

SILKS. the, savey nose, her mouth, as red as a flower, her long and flexible neck, her head was one of the most ravishing that he could imagine.

Supple and thin, she was charming to him, especially in close fitting gown, starched collar and Faust boots. Abbey would have signed her little hands. Withat, she is as stopid as a goose. She sang the ballads of the sidewalks, which she had the stream of the sidewalks, which she had the stream of the sidewalks, which she had the stream of the sidewalks.

SILK REMNANTS.



White DUCK SKIRTS 98c Novelty CLOTH
SKIRTS, were
98c \$7; now, \$3.98

LADIES' GLOVES. The idea of verses not made to be sung lengths, black and colored, worth 75c. 39c you place yourself in Orpheus's point anteed washable, formerly seld at \$1.005 59c



\$1.29 690

UPHOLSTERY DEPT. \$1.25 Japanese Porch Blinds, dec-nted, assorted colors, slightly soiled, 79c \$13.50 Japanese Rugs (high grade) blue and white offects, size 0x12 7.98 feet, each

SUMMER DRESS GOODS.



2.49. BLAZER SUITS, Jacket Silk 4.98 WASH FABRICS.

38C. per yard. New Duchess Jaconet LAWN and 1710 Lace Stripe LAWNS: were 123c... 1720



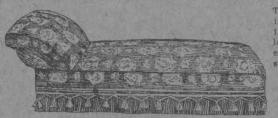
Roys' Navy Bine SHIRTS, made of Sected Madras, with Flannel SAILOR SUITS, trimmed with or collar and cuffs at Carlor St. Sected Madras, with the collar and cuffs at Carlor St. Sected Madras, with the collar and cuffs at Carlor St. Sected Madras, with the collar and cuffs at Carlor St. Sected Madras St. Sected Madras

old for PARASOLS AND UMBRELLAS \$3,00 All Silk Sun Umbrellas 1.49 50c. Children's Parasols

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STORE

Prices Talk

Loudly These Days at "The Big Store."

Sensational selling has become a daily event. Next Monday will be a favorable day for bargain getting if you purchase here. For a week past many of the buyers have been preparing a special sale to begin tomorrow when the store opens at 8 o'clock. It is needless to say that the shrewd buyers of New York will be here in force.

As a matter of interest to our patrons we will repeat our announcement of last Friday, that "The Big Store" has purchased the entire stock of Collins, formerly known as J. N. Collins & Co. We have secured at our own price the entire stock of merchandise contained in their four-story building on Fourteenth street, with the exception of the millinery and ribbons, which were not the property of Collins & Co., but belonged to another party who rented these departments in the Collins store. Our announcement of the date of the sale of these goods will appear in the daily papers.

Main floor, Notions. Black Silk Belts, 2 inches wide, with gilt, silver and oxidized plain or fancy buckles, quality made to retail at 25c to 50c, to-morretall at 25c to 50c, to-mor-

Whittemore Bros.' Dandy Dressing for russet shoes, special 12c

House Furnishing. Sprinkler, listed to sell at 11.00, yours to-morrow....

quality, yours to-morrow .. Watch Guards. Main floor, frout.

Lot 2 consists of fancy silk cords, fist silk braid Guards, some with rolled plate sildes and twivels, some with sterling silver sildes, qualities made to retail up to 45c.

12c Sonnette Summer Corsets, strong your choice to morrow..... 12c

Lot 3 consists of flat black braid Guards, some with rolled plate slides and swivels, some with sterling silver slides and swivels, and some with fancy enamelled and stone-set slides, made to retail up to 65c, your choice to-mor- 19c Special Sale of Pearsal's Sun.

Medicines. Prescriptions filled on our main Men's Clothing. Main door, loor, 18th street entrance, at about Men's Clothing. Anti-Jag, price per bot-M. & M. Sarsaparilla, price per bottle to-morrow.

Ladies' Cuffs. Main floor, front. Ladies' Turn Over Cuffs, sizes 71/2
and 8, while they last your 3c K. & E. Blouse waters. choice, per pair.....

Ladies' Neckwear. White and colored Lawn Fronts, are trimmed, regular price should

Sun Umbrellas. Main floor, Bicycles.

Wall Paper. 3d floor.

riezes to match; regular price 18c. per roll, special to-mor-

Solid oak, quarter-sawed, high polished sideboard, velvet lined drawer 18x40 linches, French bevel plate glass, 4-foot base, 6 feet high; a sideboard that sells regularly at very reasonable prices. None but graduate and registered dentists from 10 to 20 years experience. No charge for extraction when new teethareordered, Bridge work 8.00

Linens.

Main floor.

Solid oak, quarter-sawed, high polished sideboard, velvet lined drawer 18x40 linches, French bevel plate glass, 4-foot base, 6 feet high; a sideboard that sells regularly at \$30. price to-mor- 15.75 row

Iron Bedsteads, enamelled (not painted) well made, 1% inch pillars, brass trimmings, extension foot rails; these same patterns sell regularly at exclusive furniture stores for \$12.50, yours to-mor- 6.75

Children's Dresses.

Leather Goods. Main floor, centre.

Black Grain Leather Surgeon Bags, drab chamois lining, leather covered frame and inlay, nickel plated lock and catch, usual \$4.50 2.95

Dress Suit Cases, dark olive green, leak or Mixed, your choice of 32 kinds.

Per 1 50 per 22.

5 lbs., 1.50 per 1.00

per 4.50 Oblong | Triplicate Mirrors, 6½x8 | bbl., Y. State Sugar Corn or travellers, reguarly \$1.25, 83c | Special to-morrow.

gallon 37c bottle, 13c

12c tard, absolutely pure, per lb 17c Rose's Lime Juice, per 19c Hazel Triple Extracts, best made, 2 oz. bots., 20c 2 oz. bots., 15c Vanilla, 23c the basket Fresh Torstool solid and ripe, per bas-

Fairbank's Standard Soap, 120 per 2.35 per 2c

we have purchased the entire stock of a prominent manufacturer and divide it into 3 lots.

Lot 1 consists of fine heavy silk cords, with black and rolled plate sildes, qualities which regularly sell up to 25c., your choice 8c Laundry Starch, in 40-lb. boxes, large lumps. per 3½c

or19c
Special Sale of Pearsall's filling
Silk, 1 skein contains 12 threads,
each six yards long, price
per skein to-morrow...... 1c

For an have one more opportunity at these fine \$7.00 and \$8.00 suits if you come quickly. They are finely tailored and we can fit any size man. Special price as 3.75

K. & E. Blouse waists for boys, in

White and colered Lawh Froms, and the street trimmed, regular price should be \$1.25, special to-mor- 49c

Washable Silk String Ties, light and dark colors, our regular 5c

Megrade special to-morrow 5c

24-inch Union Taffeta Silk Sun Umbrellas, dark blue and dark red, steel red, with cases and tassels to match, with genuine imported Dresden handles, assorted shapes; this same quality of umbrella has been sold this season in this store for \$2.50; special to-mor- 1.39

We all Dark Mills Silk Sun There are just a few Fowler bicycles remaining from our recent purches. Come quickly if you want to get a genuine truss frame Fowler, which sells regularly all over the world for \$100.00; the frame tells the name; yours while they 39.50 man; Selts.

Men's Belts.

Wall Paper. 3d floor.
Embossed wall paper, with 18-inch riezes to match; regular price be sold as long as they last, your choice. 12c

Second floor, centre. Bed Spreads.

Main floor, rear.

Marseilles and satin finished bedspreads, extra large size, patent hemmed, new designs, sell regularly everywhere \$2.00 to \$2.25; 1.59

Main floor, rear.

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25c

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SECOND... By Prices to popularize American Products and make this Sale memorable for many and many a day.

'LADIES' UNDERWEAR.

American Sale Attractions In DRAWER Section

Muslin Drawers-tucks-yoke band... Good Muslin -3 inch emb'd ruffle..... Cambrie, Muslin and Col'd Lawndeep ruffle of emb'y or lace-insertings. Fine Cambric-8 inch umbrella ruffle of emb'y-handsome openwork and fine close patterns; worth 98.....

Cambric Corset Covers-V and square Fine Cambric-V neck-lace and emb'y. Others-V back and front, square

In CORSET COVER Section

and low neck—handsome emb'y or lace edge, with insertings—five styles. Finer qualities-fancy trim-ten styles ... In GOWN Section Gowns—Hubbard yoke—cambric ruffle Gowns—V neck—tucks, cambric ruffle

Gowns-collar of inserting and emb'r Gowns-4 insertings-emb'd ruffle Fine Cambric Empire Gowns—French oack—deep emb'd revers and bosom -ribbon trim—regular price 1.59

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taffeta silk lined skirt and Jacket 12.98 Ladies White Kid Opera Slippers all sizes . And finer qualities to \$30.00; LADIES' FANCY DRESSES-Plain colored Organdies-fancy trim and accordion pleated waist and skirt. 4.98 Plain lace and corded lawn Dresses best colors-Swiss insertings, Val. Ince or Embroidery-latest styles..... Fine Lawn and Organdle Dresses And finer qualities to \$29.00.

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Black Brocades equal to French at 29 Sarines-Henrietta finish-fast black .35 Ripple Batistes-extra fine

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